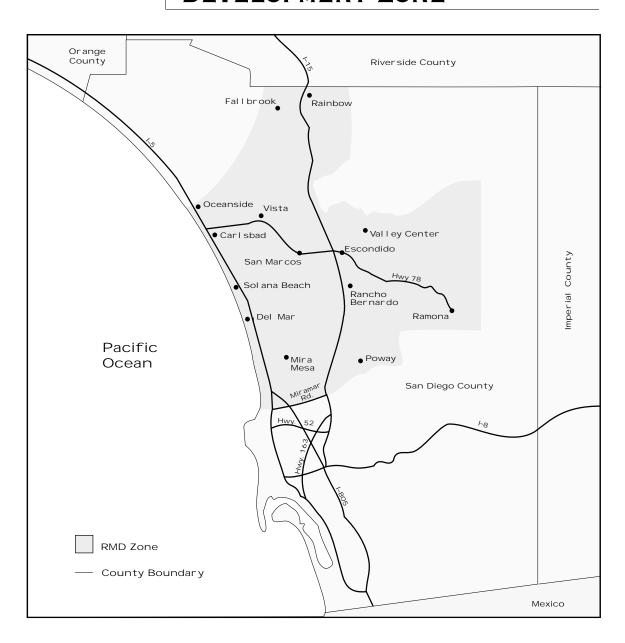


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# NORTH SAN DIEGO COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE



## ZONE INFORMATION

The North San Diego County Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) is located 30 miles north of downtown San Diego via I-15 or I-5. The zone encompasses the unincorporated areas of Fallbrook, Rainbow, Ramona, and Valley Center; the incorporated cities of Carlsbad, Del Mar, Escondido, Poway, Oceanside, and Solana Beach; and the communities of Rancho Bernardo and Mira Mesa in the City of San Diego. A large manufacturing/industrial base exists in North San Diego County along the Highway 78 corridor.

# **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

California Recycling Market Development Zones are designated by the Integrated Waste Management Board. The Board offers low-interest loans up to \$1 million, technical assistance on financing strategies, and assistance in marketing zones nationally and internationally. For more information on this program and other market development programs, contact the Board's Recycling Business Assistance Branch at (916) 255-1000.

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#### TARGET MATERIALS

Materials available as feedstock for manufacturing include newspaper, plastic, wood, tires, mixed paper, and yard waste.

#### **INFRASTRUCTURE**

The existing transportation infrastructure in North San Diego County provides easy access to all parts of San Diego County. There are four interstate highways: Interstate 5 runs north and south, and provides access to Los Angeles; Interstate 15 traverses through the northern part of San Diego and continues to the northeast; State Highways 76 and 78 run east and west and connect Interstate 5 to Interstate 15. San Diego County has four municipal airports and the San Diego International Airport at Lindberg Field. In addition, the San Diego Unified Port District facilitates shipping via commercial shipping and charter vessels.

#### INCENTIVES

The cities within the zone will make every effort to expedite permit processing and development fees. Some cities within the zone have a commitment to buy recycled products that has been adopted by resolution. Other incentives are offered by San Diego's Redevelopment Agency through loans, grants, and bonds.

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